

Michael Scotto P '06 '08 '11 '13

Michael Scotto is the proud father of four St. Rose alumni. He is also married to a St. Rose Alumna, Kathleen Mullarkey Scotto '77. Michael is a Managing Director at Morgan Stanley in the Wealth Management Division, and has worked for over 34 years in Financial Services.

When his eldest child entered St. Rose in the fall of 2002 -- 16 years ago-- Michael became an avid supporter of the school and their athletic programs. He began taking photos at his sons' soccer, basketball, and lacrosse games, wrestling matches and track events, and went on to photograph any other sport he could find time to attend. He could be found on field hockey, baseball and softball fields, at hockey rinks, tennis courts and swim meets, school plays, golf outings and walkathons. And while his own children graduated over five years ago, Michael still tries to shoot events and games for St. Rose any chance he gets. He recently provided the photos for senior day for the boys' basketball, lacrosse and baseball teams and his photos can be seen on the St. Rose website, magazine and other printed materials. He finds true joy in capturing a moment for an athlete, a student or a parent, and his affection for St. Rose and its students comes through in each and every picture he takes.

In addition to his photography skills, Michael has also made generous financial contributions to the school and to its students. But his involvement with St. Rose students does not end with graduation. Even after students leave SRHS, Michael maintains an interest in their future. Several St. Rose alumni have worked as interns at his Wealth Management group in New York City, and he has been a proud supporter of the Alumni Network serving as a panelist, mentor and photographer for the event for several years. He often invites alumni to his office for discussions about their finances or to offer career advice, and he graciously makes himself available to all who seek his counsel.

Michael represents the ideal for all parents, alumni and friends who are involved in the success of St. Rose. He gives tirelessly and unselfishly with his time and talents, and cares deeply about the institution of St. Rose as well as about each individual student. His advice and enthusiasm for all things St. Rose makes him an obvious recipient for this award. It is with gratitude and pride that we present Michael Scotto with the Distinguished Service Award.